



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, REGION 2

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BY ELECTRONIC MAIL

Robert Law, Ph.D.
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Re: Revised 2012 Sediment Toxicity Reference Data for the Lower Passaic River Study Area,
dated November 23, 2015

Dear Dr. Law:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the revised *2012 Sediment Toxicity Reference Data for the Lower Passaic River Study Area*, dated November 23, 2015. The report was prepared by Windward Environmental LLC on behalf of the Cooperating Parties Group (CPG) for the Lower Passaic River Study Area.

EPA approves the responses to comments received on January 15, 2014 and the revised report submitted to EPA on November 23, 2015. All comments were addressed. If there are any questions or clarifications needed, please contact me to discuss.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Diane Salkie".

Diane Salkie, Remedial Project Manager
Lower Passaic River Study Area RI/FS

Cc: Zizila, F. (EPA)
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